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CITY OF MALIBU ANNOUNCES PILOT STREET CLOSURE ALONG CIVIC CENTER WAY TO IMPROVE TRAFFIC SAFETY AND CREATE A PARK

Malibu, California (July 24, 2003) – The City of Malibu will be conducting a six-month pilot road closure on Civic Center Way between Winter Canyon Road and Vista Pacifica. Civic Center Way will be closed to through traffic from August 2003 to January 2004. The intent is to improve traffic safety and create a pocket park in the area where the road is closed. While the road is closed, the City will evaluate traffic patterns and impacts on the surrounding streets and schools for a potential future project to permanently close off through traffic on Civic Center Way. The results of this evaluation will be brought back to the City Council for a final determination on whether to make the closure permanent.

During the pilot road closure, motorists will be able to access Winter Canyon Road from Civic Center Way via Malibu Canyon Road. Vista Pacifica Street will be accessible through Civic Center Way by way of Cross Creek Road or Webb Way. The left turn restriction from Malibu Canyon Road onto Civic Center Way will be temporarily removed during the pilot road closure.

The public can provide feedback on the pilot road closure by leaving a message on the road closure project information line at (310) 456-2489, extension 280.

The City of Malibu was incorporated on March 28, 1991. Located in Northwest Los Angeles County, the City has 22 miles of coastline along the Pacific Ocean and a population of 12,575.

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